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SUBJECT: INDOCHINESE BOAT CASES - REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

1. IN JUDGING EXTENT OF "BOAT CASE" PROBLEM AND ATTEMPTING
TO FIND SOLUTION, DEPARTMENT IS HAMPERED BY EXTENSIVE BUT
SOMEWHAT UNCOORDINATED REPORTING BY POSTS. THUS, REQUEST
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POSTS PROVIDE FOLLOWING DATA AND ASSESSMENT AS SOON AS

POSSIBLE. WHERE INFORMATION NOT AVAILABLE PLEASE INDICATE
AND PROVIDE ESTIMATES OR COMMENTS AS APPROPRIATE.

2. TOTAL "BOAT CASE" POPULATION CURRENTLY IN COUNTRY (NO.)

A. ACCEPTED UNDER EPP------(NUMBER)

B. QUALIFIED UNDER EPP BUT NO NUMBER ASSIGNED

CAT I (NUMBER)

CAT II (NUMBER)

CAT III (NUMBER)

CAT IV (NUMBER)------(NUMBER)

C. ACCEPTED FOR THIRD COUNTRIES (MAY OVERLAP

A ABOVE) INCLUDE HERE FIRM COMMITMENTS BY

THIRD COUNTRIES------(NUMBER)

3. A BREAKDOWN BY BOAT SHOULD BE PROVIDED (BY NAME OF BOAT
OR BY DESIGNATION ASSIGNED BOAT BY EMBASSY) AS FOLLOWS:

A. NUMBER ARRIVED ON BOAT------(NUMBER)

(I)NUMBER REMAINING IN COUNTRY------(NUMBER)

. ACCEPTED UNDER EPP------(NUMBER)

B. QUALIFIED UNDER EPP BUT NO NUMBER ASSIGNED

CAT I (NUMBER)

CAT II (NUMBER)

CAT III (NUMBER)

CAT IV (NUMBER)------(NUMBER)

C. ACCEPTED BY THIRD COUNTRY------(NUMBER)

D. OTHER------(NUMBER)

(II) NUMBER DEPARTED------(NUMBER)

A. TO U.S.------(NUMBER)

B. TO THIRD COUNTRY (SPECIFY)------(NUMBER)

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B. CASES SPECIFICALLY RECOMMENDED FOR U.S. IMMIGRATION
BY POST WITH BIO CABLE NUMBER

4. REQUEST POSTS COMMENTS ON THE FOLLOWING:

A. HOST GOVERNMENT ATTITUDE AND PROCEDURES TO EXTENT NOT
ALREADY FULLY REPORTED, ESPECIALLY WITH RESPECT TO RECENT
DEVELOPMENTS SUCH AS UNHCR APPEAL, ETC.

B. THIRD COUNTRY ACTIONS AT POST WITH RESPECT TO BOAT CASES.

C. EXISTENCE AT POST OF COORDINATED RESPONSE TO PROBLEM WITH UNHCR; AMONG INTERESTED THIRD COUNTRIES.

D. REPORTING PROBLEMS; AVAILABILITY OF INFORMATION; ACCESSIBILITY OF REFUGEES; PERSONNEL REQUIREMENTS TO ADEQUATELY DEAL WITH PROBLEM.

5. IN ADDITION TO ALERT REPORTING, REQUEST POSTS PROVIDE SEPARATE REPORT PER PARA 4 ABOVE ON EACH NEWLY ARRIVING BOAT AS SOON AS DATA AVAILABLE. ALSO REQUEST UPDATE ON OVERALL REPORT MONTHLY OR MORE OFTEN IF SIGNIFICANT CHANGES OCCUR.

6. PLEASE INCLUDE ALL ADDRESSEES THIS MESSAGE AS ADDRESSEES ON "BOAT CASE" REPORTS. KISSINGER

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